

## OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR

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To the Members of the California State Assembly:

I am returning Assembly Bill 804 without my signature.

This bill would require the Court Reporters Board to establish continuing education requirements for renewal of a shorthand reporter certificate.

This measure is very similar to SB 671, which I vetoed in 2011. My view then was that, "the whole idea of legally mandated continuing education is suspect in my mind." My thinking hasn't changed.

Sincerely,

Edmund G. Brown Jr.